

ROAR OF SIEGE GUNS HEARD IN ANCIENT CAPITAL

Enemies Pressing Troops Hard in the Environs of Constantinople

With the Line of Ottoman Defense Wavering

LAST DAYS OF THE CRESCENT NUMBERED AND DISSOLUTION OF EMPIRE SURELY IN SIGHT

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Feb. 5.—A sharp engagement began late today on Ecatalla line, according to despatches from Constantinople. The roar of cannon is plainly audible at the Turkish capital.

During a sortie by Turkish troops from Adrianople 1000 of them were taken prisoners by Bulgarians, as stated in a dispatch from Sofia.

BERLIN, Feb. 5.—Giving "tacit consideration" as the reason, the Bulgarian government refused to grant the appeal of the German emperor to the queen of Bulgaria for permission for the German Red Cross expedition to enter Adrianople to attend Turkish sick and wounded.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 5.—Mahmud Shekiet Paasha, grand vizier and minister of war, has gone to the front and his departure is taken as an indication that something definite

is about to occur. Some authorities predict that some forced action is likely to take place at Adrianople while others interpret the movement as the forerunner of the surrender of Tehtataja.

Foreign ministers are at a loss to account for the movement coming so soon after the cessation of negotiations for a settlement and the end of the armistice.

The bombardment of Adrianople continued today on all sides of the city, which is rapidly degenerating into a mass of ruins. Under the terrific fire of French siege guns the fortifications are rapidly crumbling. Heavy siege artillery brought up by the Serbian troops have played on the city all day.

Thus far there have been only eight deaths recorded as the result of the bombardment. Fifty private houses are reported on fire.

BULLION BY TON SHIPPED BY THE WEST END COMPANY

The West End mine sent out 25 bars of bullion this morning consigned to the Selby smelter. This represents the cleanup for January and supplements another shipment of like weight made in the middle of the month. The weight of the bars was 2250 pounds and on top of all this the West End mill sent out 26 tons of concentrates. This sets a lively pace for the opening of the year and one that may be accelerated later in a measure which leads to the general surmise that the West End will be the next addition to the list of regular dividend payers from Nye county.

TRIPLE LINK HEAD COMES TO VISIT TONOPAH LODGE

WILL BE ENTERTAINED THIS
EVENING IN STYLE BEFIT-
TING HIS RANK

David McLean, grand master of the I. O. O. F., is visiting Tonopah in the course of his annual tour of the state and will be entertained this evening by the local brethren.

McLean is the invincible constable of Ely against whom no man has ever run for the simple reason that he is recognized as the one perennial and unbeatable candidate of White Pine county. He is one of the best known pioneers of Nevada, having been identified with the freighting business for over 40 years in Eureka and Austin and knows more about the mines and resources of those sections than any other man who claims Nevada for his home.

The present tour has lasted for 40 days and it is expected that another two weeks will be consumed in completing the circle which began at Ely and will end at the home lodge of the worthy grand master. During his pilgrimage McLean was received by 11 Rebekah lodges and 25 subordinate branches.

He goes from here to Goldfield and thence on down the southern country to Las Vegas, Pioche. He reports the order as doing exceedingly well in the western part of the state but that some of the older sections, such as Tuscarora and Austin, are barely holding their own, which is regarded as a very favorable sign, taking into consideration the universal decline of mining in the old districts.

GRAND JURY IS TAKING GAMBLING TESTIMONY NOW

The names of 17 men who will serve on the grand jury for Nye county for the ensuing year were chosen this morning with the following result:

Jos. F. Gori, foreman; Clifton K. Loring, Paul Revert, W. O. Dresser, Edward P. Wilson, H. P. Herd, Andrew Service, F. N. Jones, Thomas S. Marshall, Alfred Kells, John S. McGin, John Cloke, John M. Berry, Robt. Christian, John B. Tregloan, F. J. Busch and C. E. Rice.

The jurors immediately went into session for the consideration of gambling cases and minor matters that have accumulated in the past month.

PUT A CRIMP IN WOMEN'S PLANS BY JAILING THEM

PANKHURST AND HER FOLLOW-
ERS SENT TO PRISON FOR
DISORDERLY CONDUCT

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, Feb. 5.—Sylvia Pankhurst, militant suffragette leader, was sentenced to two weeks' imprisonment or a fine of \$10 and the same punishment was meted out to 19 other women who participated in a raid on the house of commons. All were charged with resisting the police.

C. E. REDMAN, traffic manager, and Harry Grier, general agent of the Las Vegas & Tonopah railroad, are spending a few days in Tonopah looking after business interests.

Supplies For Lone Mountain

CALIFORNIA CAPITAL FURNISHES
THE FUNDS FOR OPENING AN
OLD DISTRICT

One of Wittenberg's eight-animal teams left this morning for Lone Mountain with Ralph Ballomy in the saddle handling the jerk line.

This is the first time an outfit of this size has trekked in the south-western direction, but reports state there is every indication that something big will be sprung there this spring. The wagons were loaded with mine timbers and general supplies for the Nevada Gold Hill Gold Mining company whose holdings are situated 12 miles from this camp.

IMMUNITY PLEDGED TO WITNESS

CLARENCE DARROW EXTRACTS
DAMAGING ADMISSION FROM
THE PROSECUTION

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 5.—Acting as his own chief counsel in the trial for jury bribing, Clarence Darrow cross examined Bert Franklin today and obtained the admission that Franklin, his chief "investigator" in the McNamara trial had procured immunity for testifying against him.

PROGRAM COMPLETED
FOR INAUGURAL CEREMONY

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The official program for the inaugural ceremonies were completed today. It follows in details plans for the inauguration of Taft and Sherman. The Arizona rough riders again will be a feature of the parade.

AMERICAN RANCH MANAGER SLAYS TWO MEXICAN BANDITS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Widespread disorder is reported in southern Mexico. Four thousand striking miners have resorted to violence. Some attacked the American manager of the Santa Gertrudis ranch who fired, killing two and wounding two. The property owned by President Madero's family in Zacatecas was burned.

RENO WANTS ONE YEAR MORE OF DIVORCE INDUSTRY TO ENABLE PANDERERS TO MAKE A CLEANUP

(By Hans Durfel)
Special Correspondence

CARSON, Feb. 5.—Now that Reno finds she is against the moral sentiment of the state at large and even of the decent people of that town itself, the legislative delegation from Washoe and their allies are willing to compromise if the other side is willing to accept any sidestepping of the main issue. A substitute for the Barnes bill making the 12-months' law effective after January 1, 1914, will be reported by the committee on judiciary.

The substitutes say the immediate passage of any other amendment would have the effect of working hardship on the citizens and property owners of downtown reality, hotels and lodging houses of doubtful or lax morals, restaurants of the all-night class which have subsisted entirely on the divorce colonists, should be given more time for a final clean-up. It is argued that the gamblers were allowed a liberal margin in which to dispose of their holdings throughout the state and to swing

Senlan spoke against the amendment on the ground that he was opposed to legislation which would strengthen the law. The law, he declared, was directed against labor and the poor man, and he asserted he would introduce a bill in the near future calling for its repeal.

CLIFFORD COMES BACK WITH ORE THAT PAYS WELL

LEASER TAKES OUT SHIPMENT
THAT NETS HANDSOMELY
AT SAMPLER

Jim Clifford, who is leasing at Clifford, 50 miles east of Tonopah, on the Clifford mining property, has just shipped four tons and a half of ore to Goldfield where it was sampled and netted \$563 a ton.

This property has been closed down for the last five years ever since the withdrawal of the McCormick people from that section through cancellation of their lease. The camp known as Clifford was laid out as a town-site by McCormick and Walter Pratt under the name of Helena and some shipments of high grade were made which attracted the attention of miners from all parts of the southern country. It is estimated that McCormick extracted something like \$100,000 from his lease in a period of six months.

FIREMEN MEET THIS EVENING AT THE GYM.

Everybody who is interested in the prosperity of the Tonopah volunteer firemen should not fail to turn out this evening to the meeting called by President Epsine, who has important business to submit. The volunteers are the backbone of the camp and they are always relied upon to do their duty when there is a call for their services. That they have never failed is known to all and this meeting should be attended not alone by their friends, but also by the members.

Henry G. L. Miller, interested in mines in southern Nevada, died at a Reno hospital early Monday from pneumonia, contracted in Rochester. He was a member of Tonopah Aerie of Eagles.

PERSONAL

Comings and Goings of Local
People and Others.

John and Edward Clifford, accompanied by Fred Antoniazzi and Miss Gertrude and Albino Antoniazzi of Manhattan came in last evening and will probably leave this afternoon.

C. A. M'KINNON, president of the Goldfield Miners' union in 1907, was a passenger on this morning's north bound train for Rochester.

E. SCHENDEL, who has been leasing at Clifford, arrived from the latter place last night with a load of ore from his lease and will ship the same to Goldfield for sampling and sale to the Western Ore Purchasing company.

MRS. DR. GRIGSBY was a passenger on this morning's north bound train for San Francisco, where she will sojourn for the next few weeks. A. J. ARMSTRONG was a passenger on this morning's out going train for Reno, where he goes to supervise work on mining property recently taken over by the Tonopah Mining company 12 miles north of Reno and also a promising property at Rochester, recently bonded by the above company.

MAURICE FINK, the mining man, slipped a cog this morning, while at the depot with his baggage aboard train 23 for Reno. He stepped into the railroad office to phone a couple of messages to the Postal telegraph office, and while doing so the train pulled out for Mina. Fink hired Louie Amundson's fast machine to beat the train to "Mina," which he did, and the belated and wrathful traveler boarded.

ESMERALDA COUNTY MUST
CUT DOWN ITS EXPENSES

With over \$5000 scrip in the treasury the county commissioners at Goldfield have ordered all officials to apply the knife without stint. The sheriff, who has a chief deputy at \$2000 a year and five assistants, has been ordered to either reduce his force or the amount paid in salaries. One janitor has been fired from the court house.

ORE TAKEN OUT OF MAIN TUNNEL ON NENZEL PEAK

GOOD LOOKING ORE REPORTED
FROM WINGFIELD TUNNEL;
SILVER VALUES HIGH

ROCHESTER, Nev., Feb. 5.—Over 40 tons of ore were extracted yesterday from the ledge in the main tunnel of the Rochester Mines company where the big strike of high-grade ore was made the previous day. The vein is continually widening. It is not the main vein, but is a vein apparently leading up to that which outcrops on the summit of Nenzel peak.

All auto stage lines are running at full capacity and all incoming mailboxes are crowded with newcomers, eager to reach the scene of the strike and to take options on lots or mining properties. The tunnel in which the strike occurred was visited by practically everybody in the camp.

The tunnel in which the strike was made is that being run to strike the main vein under block three lease of the Rochester Mines company. This is the ground heretofore reserved when 10 leases along the summit were let by Joseph Nenzel.

There are expectations of a further strike of ore within 50 feet.

The finding of ore of such value and extent has caused the owners of block three lease to contemplate the installation of compressor drills in order to push the work and take out ore for shipping while driving the tunnel itself to the main ledge.

East of the strike announced yesterday, the Wingfield tunnel ran into ore. This is on the extension of the main vein whose existence beyond the outcropping is thus assured. The values in the ore taken from the Wingfield tunnel have not been found by assay, but the ore is apparently very rich.

Although very high gold values were shown in the rich two-foot streak in the block three tunnel, the gold values are more or less uncertain. The silver values, however, run consistently very high.

THOMAS J. LYNCH departed for San Francisco on train 23 this morning. He goes on mining business.

RECTOR WINS OUT IN DISPUTE OVER TWO CHURCH LOTS

JOHN W. BROCK NOTIFIES HIM
THAT PROPERTY IS NOT SUB-
JECT TO TAXATION

For some time Rev. George Gallup, rector of the Episcopal church, has been annoyed by reports that two lots adjoining St. Mark's rectory and enclosed by order of the trustees were not the property of that body and therefore subject to taxation. Recently a notice of sale was posted on the fence by order of the county treasurer and it became a serious matter in the minds of the trustees what to do about the apparent conflict.

In this dilemma they decided to wire John W. Brock, president of the Tonopah Mining company in Philadelphia. This morning a reply was received to the effect that the lots in question were the sole property of the church and not subject to taxes. This settled the dispute as the lots were donated by Brock but were never recorded officially. They are on the estate of the Jim Butler Mining company.

MUM'S THE WORD SAYS PRESIDENT ABOUT CABINET

CABINET MAKING KEPT A STATE
SECRET FOR THE PRESENT
TIME

(By Associated Press)
TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 5.—President Wilson sees no particular reason why he should announce his cabinet before he is inaugurated, though he indicated today he would try to reach a decision as to his selections before that time.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The fight against providing for battleships began in the house when Representative Sherwood of Ohio headed the no-battleship advocates.

IMMORALITY CANNOT BE CONDONED BECAUSE IT BRINGS MONEY TO RENO

RENO, Feb. 5.—Ringing resolutions were adopted at a mass meeting of citizens last evening at the high school library and at the conclusion there was no doubt of the standing of the respectable element of the town with reference to the divorce evil. Among the ladies who spoke against the perpetration of the laxity were Mrs. F. O. Norton, Mrs. W. H. Hood and Mrs. F. G. Patrick. The forcible speakers among the men were Judge Robert G. Withers, formerly of Goldfield, Judge John S. Orr, formerly of the district court, who has had greater opportunities than any one else for observing the workings of the system, and Sam Belford, one of the brightest minds of the bar.

"The divorce colony is a fostering ulcer," is the statement made by Mrs. Norton.

"Children of divorced couples are often worse than orphans," was the remark of Mrs. W. H. Hood.

Professor Romanzo Adams called the mass meeting to order. He referred to the development from the individual protest against divorce to the collective protest. He then called Mr. Hawkins, who said:

"I take pleasure, in common with the mothers and men of Reno, in taking a stand for the upbuilding of the state and city. There are always two great contending factions, one for de-

veloping moral conditions and one for the destruction of moral conditions. While the government has reached its glory through individual expression, no man in a representative capacity has the right to follow his individual opinion against public sentiment. If Reno and Washoe county want the divorce law changed, it is the duty of the legislators to carry out their will or resign.

"We give lands in return for railroads; we give money in exchange for manufacturing plants. But here in Reno, what do we give in return for what we get from the divorce colony?"

Samuel Belford closed the addresses with an eloquent denunciation of the conditions brought about by the old law.

"There is little to be said for the divorce colony and much against it. It is astounding that there are people who avowedly wish to perpetuate evil conditions to make money. When the state measures a moral question by its weight in dollars, it is time for Nevada to take an inventory for the future of its children. National prosperity and moral wrong never have and never will go hand in hand. We only ask that the legislature remove Nevada from the list of out-law commonwealths.

"The divorce statute was adopted in 1861 and amended in minor par-

ticulars in 1875. Do you believe the framers of the constitution intended to transform the state into a clearing house for the matrimonial difficulties of the world?"

"There are 17 states in which the divorce residences are longer than the residence for the franchise.

"The new measure with a 12 months clause would have the effect of doing away with the divorce colony. It is not to go into effect until the first of next year, so cannot provoke unsettled conditions. It is not intended to take snap judgment. At this time, when we are striving for the development of the state, no one act by the legislature could do more to bring people here than the passage of the law now proposed."

Robert C. Withers said: "The greatest asset of any country, people or state is its children. The home is the foundation of government, of decent society and of morality. When anything attacks family ties, then is made a thrust at morality itself and the welfare of the state.

"When they tell you it brings money to Reno," said Withers, "let me suggest this one proposition: What would be the answer if some money-laden syndicate should offer a definite sum for the use of the good name of the state; if it should offer millions to take over the name and fame of Nevada and use them for any purpose whatsoever?"

You Should Buy Prudently

Your success in providing against a rainy day—success in life, in fact, is measured by the way you spend your earnings. All of your spendings should be done with foresight and prudence, and this is true of the articles you buy for your person and your home above all things.

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